

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

September 8, 2004

Applicant(s): Jerry A. CULP et al.

For: POWERED SURGICAL HANDPIECE WITH REMOVABLE CONTROL SWITCH

Serial No.: 10/776 014

Group: 3731

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REQUEST FOR DELETION OF INVENTOR UNDER 37 CFR 1.48(b)

Sir:

This paper is being submitted in order to request deletion of DAVID E. MONK from the inventorship of the above-identified application. This request is accompanied by a Second Amendment Before First Office Action which cancels Claim 1 and adds new Claims 65-96. The above inventor's invention is accordingly no longer being claimed in this application.

The required fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i) is also submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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Herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
☒ The additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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- ☐ Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), please extend the shortened period for response by month(s). The extension fee is: \$.
- ☒ A Check for \$432.00 is enclosed to cover fees.
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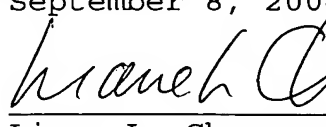
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